



WHETSTONE HIGH SCHOOL

2018-19 SCHOOL PROFILE

Columbus City Schools, Ohio's largest school district with nearly 52,000 students in Pre-Kindergarten through 12th Grade, has earned national and statewide recognition for its improved academic, career-technical, and support services to students and their families. Encompassing more than 116 square miles primarily in the City of Columbus, this urban district includes 21 high schools with an average enrollment of 750 students.

School District:
Columbus City Schools
Mascot: Braves
Phone: (614)365-6060
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Graduation date: June, 2019
CEEB CODE: 361636

Principal: Ms. Janet Routzong
Assistant Principals:
Mr. Herzog
Mrs. Horne
Mr. Mullins

School Counselors:
Students A-G: Megan Brautigam
Students H-Gf: Matthew Wood
Students O-Z: Nancy Hirsch

Phone: (614) 365-6066

School Body:
Enrollment: 1000
Caucasian: 40%
African-American: 40%
Other: 20%

Senior Class: 228
*See Class Rank Note of Page 2
Economically Disadvantaged: 65%
English as a Second Language: 20%

Grading Scale:
A+ 98-100%
A 92-97%
A- 90-91%
B+ 99-89%
B 82-87%
B- 80-81%
C+ 78-79%
C 72-77%
C- 70-71%
D+ 68-69%
D 62-67%
D- 60-61%

COLUMBUS CITY SCHOOLS – DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS: Basic Criteria: Twenty-two (22) credits, to include 4 units of English, 3 units of Social Studies, 4 units of Math, 3 units of Science (including 1 Physical and 1 Biological), 1 unit in Health/Physical Education, 1 unit of an academic elective (advanced Science or Social Studies) 1 unit in Technology, 1 unit of Internship, 1 unit of Fine Arts, and 3 General Electives and the passage of the Ohio Graduation Test.

POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION: The class of 2018 had 210 graduates of which 33% entered four-year colleges/universities, 32% entered two-year institutions and 35% selected work, military, or technical instruction. Fifty percent (50%) of the class received the school system's Certificate of College Preparation, 37% received the school system's Certificate of Specialization and 10% received the State of Ohio Diploma with Honors. See the following page for descriptions.

TESTING INFORMATION:

ACT: Average scores for the class of 2019:
ACT Whetstone
Composite 17

SAT: Average scores from the graduating class of 2017 (small sample):
SAT 2400 Whetstone
Composite 1410

CURRICULUM: College preparatory courses are offered in English, Science, Math, Social Studies and Foreign Language. Whetstone HS has 813 students combined participating in College Credit Plus courses that earn dual high school and college credit on and off our campus. Whetstone HS has 62 students that are currently taking an Advanced Placement class. Whetstone HS has 100 students that participate in a Career Center Program.

Advanced Placement (AP):
Literature and Composition
Language and Composition
Biology
Chemistry
Environmental Science
Calculus AB
American Government
Human Geography

College Credit Plus:
Whetstone HS offers Columbus State Community College courses on our campus for the following:
Psychology
Sociology
U.S. History
Computer Science
American Sign Language

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Universities & Colleges Whetstone Students Attended from the Graduating

Classes of 2018 & 2019

Allegheny College

Bowling Green State Univ.

Capital University

Cedarville University

Central Ohio Technical College

Columbus College of Art and Design

Columbus State Community College

Columbus State University

Denison University

Eastern Michigan University

Eckerd College

Heidelberg University

Hobart Institute of Welding

Marietta College

Maryland Institute College of Art

Mount Carmel College of Nursing

Muskingum University

Ohio Dominican University

Ohio University

Otterbein University

Spelman College

The College of Wooster

The Ohio State University

The Ohio State University
at Newark

The University of Akron

Tiffin University

University of California, Davis

University of Cincinnati

University of Colorado at Denver

University of Rio Grande

University of Toledo

Wellesley College

West Virginia University

Wittenberg University

Wright State University

Yale University

Youngstown State University

Diploma Types Explanation

In addition to standard graduation requirements, students may earn:

Certificate of College Preparation: This requires the above Basic Criteria plus 2 units in the same Foreign Language which may replace 2 General Elective credits.

Certificate of Specialization: This requires the above Basic Criteria plus the following additions/variations—5 or more credits in any one specific area of study, academic or elective.

Diploma of Distinction: This requires the above basic criteria plus the following: a total of 24 units; 4 science units (including Chemistry or Physics), 4 math units (including Algebra II or Math III), 3 units in the Same Foreign Language.

Whetstone Facts:

- ◇ Whetstone High School serves as a English Language Learner sheltered site. Students from 44 countries, and speaking 29 languages, contribute to the extraordinary diversity of this school.
- ◇ The Classes of 2017 and 2018 , each had one National Merit Finalist from Whetstone.
- ◇ The class of 2018, had 4 students join a U.S. military branch.

Class Rank Note:

All colleges must recalculate class rank percentiles based upon the actual 2019 class size of 228 students. The Class Rank on Whetstone's transcript is in error for the class size. Please use our current Senior Class Total of 228 as our actual class size. Please contact us with any questions.

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